## RECEIVED CENTRAL FAX CENTER

JUL 19 2005

PATENT APPLICATION ATTORNEY DOCKET NO. LMRX-P028/P1187

IP STRATEGY GROUP, P.C. Intellectual Property Law Office P.O. Box 700640 San Jose. CA 95170-0640

CUSTOMER NO 32,986

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT & TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: Steeger

Application No. 10/720,839

Examiner: PRUCHNIC, Stanley J

Filed: 11/24/2003

Group No. 2859

Title: METHODS AND APPARATUS FOR

IN SITU SUBSTRATE TEMPERATURE

MONITORING

Confirmation No. 3615

Certificate of Facsimile Transmission I hereby certify that this paper or fee is being transmitted to the U.S. Patent Office on July 19, 2005, via facsimile transmission to fax number 703-872-9306. Tatal transmission: 10 pages.

/Alma Falzic/

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313

Dear Sir:

In response to the Final Office Action mailed 05/20/2005, Applicant petitions for consideration of the following Amendment and Remarks.

The amendments set forth herein are provided solely to clarify the invention as filed and set forth in the pending claims in order to comply with applicable statutes and regulations. The amendments are not intended to limit the invention or preclude the application of equivalents which Applicant may be entitled to under law.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 9 of this paper.